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Nous sommes heureux de vous accueillir chez nous pour les NRHA European Affiliate Championships, NRHA Ancillary Show et le Challenge Suisse de Reining 2023, le tout sous l'égide de la **SVAG CS Classic**.

Encore une fois, nous accueillerons les meilleurs cavaliers de reining d'Europe et encore une fois, nous avons concentré tous nos efforts pour offrir les meilleures conditions à tous les participants, les officiels et les invités.

Mais la **SVAG CS Classic** se doit aussi d'être un moment de répit en ces temps difficiles. Quelques jours pour souffler et pour profiter du dynamisme du Reining, de l'intelligence des Quarter Horses et de la motivation des cavaliers. Et des installations soigneusement entretenues, du beau paysage et des agréables journées d'été.

Le „**Summer of Reining**” au CS Ranch célébrera à nouveau le grand art du reining et des moments de détente qui s'en suivent.

Le reining est un sport merveilleux. Outre l'amour du cheval, il exige de la discipline et de l'assiduité à l'entraînement, mais aussi de la finesse, de la sensibilité et un esprit d'équipe.

Venez tomber amoureux des chevaux et de ce sport avec nous et profitez de belles journées spectaculaires au **CS Ranch**.

A VERY WARM WELCOME

We are delighted to have you here with us as we host the NRHA European Affiliate Championships together with the NRHA Ancillary Show and the Swiss Reining Challenge 2023, all under the umbrella of the **SVAG CS Classic**.

We will once again be hosting the best reining riders in Europe, and we have once again made every effort to provide the best conditions for all participants, officials, and guests.

But the **SVAG CS Classic** should also be a few days to take a deep breath in these quite exhausting times. A few days to breathe and enjoy - the dynamic sport of Reining, the intelligent Quarter Horses, the motivated riders. But also the lovingly maintained facilities, the beautiful landscape and the cosy summer days.

The „**Summer of Reining**” at the CS Ranch will once again celebrate the high art of reining and the relaxation afterwards.

Reining is a wonderful sport. It requires not only a love of horses, but also discipline and training enthusiasm, as well as sensitivity, sensibility, and team spirit.

Fall in love with the horses and the sport with us and enjoy beautiful and spectacular days at the **CS Ranch** in Givrins.

EIN HERZLICHES WILLKOMMEN

Wir freuen uns, Sie hier bei uns zu Gast zu haben, wenn wir die NRHA European Affiliate Championships gemeinsam mit der NRHA Ancillary Show und der Schweizer Reining Challenge 2023, alles unter dem Dach der **SVAG CS Classic** ausrichten.

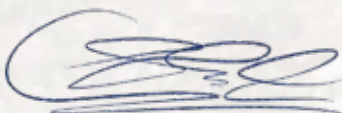
Es werden wieder die besten Reining-Reiter Europas bei uns zu Gast sein, und wir haben uns erneut bemüht, allen Teilnehmern, Offiziellen und Gästen die besten Bedingungen zu bieten.

Die **SVAG CS Classic** sollen aber auch ein paar Tage zum Durchatmen sein in diesen durchaus anstrengenden Zeiten. Ein paar Tage zum Durchatmen und Geniessen – den dynamischen Sport Reining, die intelligenten Quarter Horses, die motivierten Reiter. Aber auch die liebevoll gepflegte Anlage, die wunderschöne Landschaft und die heimeligen Sommertage.

Der „**Summer of Reining**” auf der CS Ranch soll auch diesmal die hohe Kunst des Reining und der Entspannung danach zelebrieren.

Reining ist ein wunderbarer Sport. Er erfordert neben der Liebe zum Pferd Disziplin und Trainingseifer, aber auch Feingefühl, Sensibilität und Teamgeist.

Verlieben Sie sich mit uns in die Pferde und den Sport und geniessen Sie schöne und spektakuläre Tage auf der **CS Ranch** in Givrins.



Corinna Schumacher, Owner




Eric Obrecht, Show Manager



The NRHA EAC YOUTH TEAM TOURNAMENT



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Youth riders at the NRHA European Affiliate Championships held at **CS RANCH** during the **SVAG CS Classic Reining Shows '23** will also have a chance to compete in the exciting NRHA EAC Youth Team Tournament where Montana Silversmiths buckles offered by NRHA will be awarded to the winning team as well as medals to the top eight teams.

On Wednesday, the NRHA Youth meeting and party offered by **CS Ranch** closed the day. Representing seven countries (Belgium, Czech Republic, France, Germany, Norway, Poland, Switzerland) the 22 qualified Youth (13 & Under and 14-18) finalists got to know each other, enjoyed the fun activity,



organized by NRHA Sr. Director of International Affairs & Development **Samantha Oldfield**, and found out the teams they will be representing in the Tournament.

Each team is made up of four youth competitors with at least one 13 & Under and one 14-18 rider and their scores in the NRHA EAC Youth classes will determine the champions!



YOUTH **NRHA** TOURNAMENT TEAM

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Lotte de Boever	Spook N Ruff	BEL
Victoire Molla Guisset	Whizkey Coated Kiss	FRA
Lisa Marie Wiechers	Spinderellstory	GER

SPARKLES

Vendula Masarova	Rock Me Topgun	CZE
Hayley Verlinden	Heaven 77	BEL
Sara Karasova	KH Yankee Step	CZE
Lieke Bax	Girly Gump BB	BEL

UNICORNS

Emelie Zopf	DR Dunit Voodoo BB	SUI
Lisa Marie Wiechers	Gunna Spark N Whiz	GER
Silke Hendrix	AM Lil Birdy Gun	BEL
Sara Karasova	Wimpy N Mercedes	CZE

CUPCAKES

Elias Van Nueten	Big Bad Chex	BEL
Emma Louise Eggen	Gunna Spook	NOR
Nicolas Pavel	SK Cash To Gun	CZE
Gabriela Sondaj	Whizit A Gun BB	POL

NONAMES

Jody Fonck	Smart Spooky Joe	BEL
Tomas Hruska	JJ Luigi Whiz	CZE
Lou Covarel	Big Chex Olena	FRA
Anna Palasova	Dr Who	CZE

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Corinna Schumacher is also an excellent example of competence, commitment and humanity with her CS Ranch. These are values which we too hold ourselves in the DVAG group and also at Schweizer Vermögensberatung. We are proud that together with Corinna Schumacher and the **CS Ranch** we have been able to support the exceptional and professional reining competitions for years. Also this year's championship promises again exciting competitions with top sporting performances.

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Jody Fonck & Sparkling And Spooky

SVAG CS Classic

Youth 14 - 18

As the second day of NRHA Ancillary Action takes place at **CS RANCH** in the **NRHA - European Affiliate Championships** during the **SVAG CS Classic Reining Shows '23**, opening the competition were the NRHyA - Youth classes. Taking the win in the NRHA 14-18 was **Jody Fonck** of Belgium and Sparkling And Spooky (NRHA Three Million Dollar Sire A Sparkling Vintage x Ebony Spook) owned by J&J comm v J&J comm, who scored a 212.5.

The talented rider bragged about her horse after their run. *"My horse was super nice. He is a 4-year-old gelding is just an amazing, talented, and sweet-minded horse. He is so stylish, his stops were really nice today. I don't know if I will show him some more this week, the plan is not set yet, but I am showing my other horse Smart Spooky Joe in the EAC Non Pro."*

Congrats!





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Nicolas Pavel & SK Cash To Gun

SVAG CS Classic

Youth 13 & Under

More youth ancillary action at the NRHA - **European Affiliate Championships** held during the **SVAG CS Classic Reining Shows 2023** where Czech Republic's **Nicolas Pavel** rode his 9-year-old mare SK Cash To Gun (SK Gunshiner x Sheza Ninos Chex) to a score of 211.5 to top the NRHA - 13 & under class in a field of six riders.

Nicolas was pleased with his run. *"It was really good. I'm super happy how we managed to change leads because that can be a challenge for us sometimes, but today it was good. We have had this mare since she was a baby and I have been riding her for the last three years. This show has been quite a success for us, so I really like it here. Next, we will show in the EAC Youth 13 & under and EAC Rookie,"* shared Nicolas about his future plans.

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Rider Spotlight **Anna Palasová**

12-year-old **Anna Palasová** of the Czech Republic took her first win at the **NRHA European Affiliate Championship** in the Rookie Level 1 ancillary class riding her own Dr Who, AKA "Woody." Though this is her second year at CS Ranch, it's the first time with her flashy 6-year-old palomino who she purchased from Italian Professional Davide Brighenti at the beginning of 2023.

"He's always nice to me and always does everything I ask him to and never complains," said the young rider who has been riding reiners for the past five years under the guidance of Eva Nováčková. *"We were looking around for a new horse and tried quite a few. The reason I chose him was because he is so sweet, and never goes where he wants to nor does he do things I don't ask him to do. I am really looking forward to showing him in the Youth class here at the European Affiliate Championships and am really excited!"*



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Anne Grether & Tr voodoo Doll

The pressure was on until the last run in the NRHA - \$500-Added **Limited** and \$4000-Added **Intermediate Open** classes held at **CS RANCH** during the **SVAG CS Classic Reining Shows** where the NRHA European Affiliate Championships are being held. **Anne Grether** of France walked in last aboard the 5-year-old mare Tr Voodoo Doll (NRHA Three Million Dollar Sire Shiners Voodoo Dr x Wallawhizagun) owned by @RS Reininghorses Bv. The duo had a beautiful run awarded a 218.5 by the judges, which brought them a win in both classes.

"This is our third show together and I have had her in training since last November," she said. "We only showed twice before coming here. She was very good in the showpen, so I told myself I'm going to try to beat the boys [Co-reserve Champions Rafal Dolata and Anders Josefsson] and it worked out, so I am happy with how we did."



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Laura Pouzol & Tricky Vobinda Whiz

On the second day of the **SVAG CS Classic Reining Shows 2023** at **CS RANCH**, the NRHA - European Affiliate Championships offered the **\$3,000-Added NRHA Intermediate Non Pro** ancillary class won by French **Laura Pouzol** who rode Michel Pouzol's 7-year-old stallion, Tricky Vobinda Whiz (CJ Whiz x RS Cayenne Jack), to a score of 215.5 to capture the win.

"My horse was exceptional today; we had a fabulous run and he tried very hard for me," said the excited French rider. *"We bred the stallion, so I have had him his whole life, and this is a huge accomplishment for both of us."*





Laura Pouzol & Tricky Vobinda Whiz

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\$500-Added Limited Non Pro



In a field of 40 combinations, winning the **\$500-Added NRHA Limited Non Pro** class offered in the NRHA - **European Affiliate Championships** was **Thomas Schneider** of Switzerland riding his wife Sabrina Schneider's 12-year-old gelding Magnum IT (NRHA Eight Million Dollar Sire Magnum Chic Dream x Dun It The Hard Way) to the highest score in the class of 213.

"We had a great run today. I especially enjoyed the stops. He has had a successful career as an Open horse and we have had him now for the last three years and he is really cool. My wife and I ride with Morey Fisk and we really enjoy his program."

Schneider also topped the **Swiss Reining Challenge Non Pro** Qualifier that took place concurrently with the ancillary Non Pro. Eighteen Non Pro riders of Swiss nationality competed for ten spots in the Finals that will run concurrently with the EAC Non Pro class on Saturday offering an added of 2000 CHF.



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Thomas Schneider & Magnum IT

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MY LOVE FOR HORSES AND
MY PASSION FOR REINING."

Gina Schumacher

Visitors coming to the **World Reining Event** these days are wondering about some very special pieces in the popular **CS Boutique** - Gina has gone among the designers. Together with the fashion label **HERZEN'S ANGELEGENHEIT**, she is releasing a capsule collection that celebrates Gina's passion for horses and the sport of reining: "The name **HERZEN'S ANGELEGENHEIT** says it all, because horses and my sport of reining are exactly that for me: a matter of the heart."

With the fashion label **HERZEN'S ANGELEGENHEIT**, she has a partner who shares her devotion and unites the world of fashion and that of equestrian sport with a joint collection.

The capsule collection is characterised by high-quality fabrics and expressive designs. The silk blouses with print are a highlight and capture equestrianism perfectly. They are complemented by timeless cashmere jumpers with fine embroidery that are the ideal companion for everyday wear. Fringed scarves as a fashion accessory round off the look - after all, the sport of reining has its roots in the world of cowboys.

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Rider Spotlight Emma Louise Eggen

The youngest competitor in the NRHA **European Affiliate Championship**, 10-year-old **Emma** came to Switzerland to compete in the **Youth 13 & Under** classes. Driving with her parents for three days all the way from Norway, she was happy to compete aboard her horse Gunna Spook, a 7-year-old gelding by the NRHA 2 Million Dollar Sire Spooks Gotta Gun and out of West Coast Sandy, AKA "Buddy." Riding all her life, as her father NRHA Professional Tor Erik Eggen says, the first saddle she sat in was his when she was about two years old.

Emma and "Buddy" placed second in the NRHA 13 & Under scoring a 210 and they are getting ready to compete in the EAC Youth 13 & Under and Youth Team Tournament on Saturday.

"Our stops were the best," mentioned Emma. When asked about her hobbies besides riding horses, Emma's dad laughs: *"All she does is ride!"* One day, Emma would like to be a horse trainer like her dad, after all, reining is a family affair for the Eggen's: They brought four horses to Switzerland and next will move onto a show in Sweden!





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They look after more than 2,000 horses a year, aiming to make their stay and their travel to far-off lands as comfortable as possible. There are around 4,000 square meters in Frankfurt set aside for looking after, feeding, housing and the further transport of animal passengers.

Sabine Grebe, who has been in charge of the Animal Lounge since 2010, is herself a passionate dressage and western rider. Like so many of her colleagues, she has turned her passion for animals into a career: "We all put our hearts into this, 24 hours a day, 365 days a year." There is no other way, as the four-legged passengers are very demanding and require particular attention.



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With all these careful measures, it is no surprise that even national teams from various countries rely on the expertise of Lufthansa Cargo and entrust the airline with the transport of their valuable horses. And all the leading breeders are always happy to use the services in Frankfurt again.

Once the moment arrives when the horses are high above the clouds, beginning to peek curiously out of their containers and nibbling on their hay, Sabine Grebe and her team know they have once again done a first-class job.

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Today, reining is recognized internationally as an equine sport of great significance that appeals to participants and spectators alike. The combination of speed and power maneuvers with amazing control and finesse makes the sport fascinating to watch. The judging system allows spectators to closely follow the determination of the winners and be part of the show while being entertained by breathtaking performances.

Reining is a judged event designed to show the athletic ability of a ranch type horse in the confines of a show arena. The blood that flows through these amazing animals derives in fact from work on the ranches – they are sweet, they are athletic, they are docile, they have been carefully bred, and they conquer the hearts of many.

In reining competition, contestants are required to run one of several approved patterns which include small slow circles and large fast circles to demonstrate speed control; flying lead changes, rollbacks over the hocks, a series of 360 degree spins done in place, and the exciting sliding stops that are the hallmark of the reining horse.

Let's get technical: patterns in a nutshell

All NRHA patterns are divided into seven or eight maneuver groups:

Circles

Circles are maneuvers at the lope, of designated size and speed, which demonstrate control, willingness to guide, and degree of difficulty in speed and speed changes. Circles must at all times be run in the geographical area of the arena specified in the pattern description and must have a common center point. There must be a clearly defined difference in the speed and size of a small, slow circle, and a large, fast circle; also, the speed and size of small, slow right circles should be similar to the small, slow left circles; and the speed and size of the large, fast right circles should be similar to the large, fast left circles.



Spins

Spins are a series of 360 degree turns, executed over a stationary (inside) hind leg. Propulsion for the spin is supplied by the outside rear leg and front legs, and contact should be made with the ground and a front leg. The location of hindquarters should be fixed at the start of the spin and maintained throughout the spins and cadence, attitude, smoothness, finesse and speed are imperative.



Hesitate

To hesitate is the act of demonstrating the horse's ability to stand in a relaxed manner at a designated time in a pattern. In a hesitation, the horse is required to remain motionless and relaxed. All patterns require a hesitation at the end of the patterns to demonstrate to the judge(s) the completion of the pattern.



Lead Changes

Lead changes are the act of changing the leading legs of the front and rear pairs of legs at a lope, when changing the direction traveled. The lead change must be executed at a lope with no change of gait or speed and be performed in the exact geographical position in the arena specified in the pattern description. The change of front and rear leads must take place within the same stride to avoid penalty.

Rundowns

Run downs are runs through the middle of the arena, and runs along the side and ends of the arena. Run downs and run-arounds should demonstrate control and gradual increase in speed to the stop.



Stops

Stops are the act of slowing the horse from a lope to a stop position by bringing the hind legs under the horse in a locked position sliding on the hind feet. The horse should enter the stop position by bending the back, bringing the hind legs further under the body while maintaining forward motion and ground contact and cadence with front legs. Throughout the stop, the horse should continue in a straight line while maintaining ground contact with the hind feet.



Rollbacks

Rollbacks are the 180-degree reversal of forward motion completed by running to a stop, rolling (turning) the shoulders back to the opposite direction over the hocks and departing in a canter, as one continuous motion. The NRHA Handbook states no hesitation; however, a slight pause to regain footing or balance should not be deemed hesitation. The horse should not step ahead or backup prior to rolling back.



Backups:

A backup is a maneuver requiring the horse to be moved in a reverse motion in a straight line a required distance; at least ten feet.

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2011 ALPHA / ALPHA PALOMINO STALLION
 GOLDEN SMOKEY HULL X CUSTOM MADE GUN



DUNIT FOR WHIZKEY

2013 ALPHA GRAY STALLION
 TOPSAIL WHIZ X DUNIT FOR GHEK



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 GUNNATRASHYA X EBONY WHIZ



FUEL N SHINE

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 SHIRO SPARK X DOOMERITA



GUNNA BE A BIG HIT

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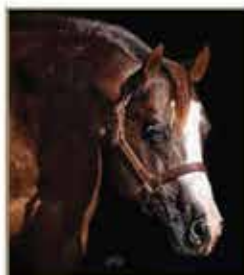
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WHAT MAKES THE SCORE?

All competitors start with 70 points, which is the average mark for completing a pattern. The judge evaluates the quality and execution of each maneuver in steps of $\frac{1}{2}$ points from minus $1\frac{1}{2}$ up to plus $1\frac{1}{2}$. 0 stands for an average, correct maneuver.

In special situations penalties ranging from $\frac{1}{2}$ to 5 may be applied and subsequently subtracted from the score. This i.e., to name a few, could be missing a marker, lope in the wrong lead, touching the horse or the saddle horn.

If the contestant does not end the spins after exactly 4 turns (tolerance of $\pm \frac{1}{4}$ turn) or does not follow the required pattern, the total score will be 0.

Illegal equipment, abuse of a course or misconduct of a rider will lead to a "No Score" which means disqualification.

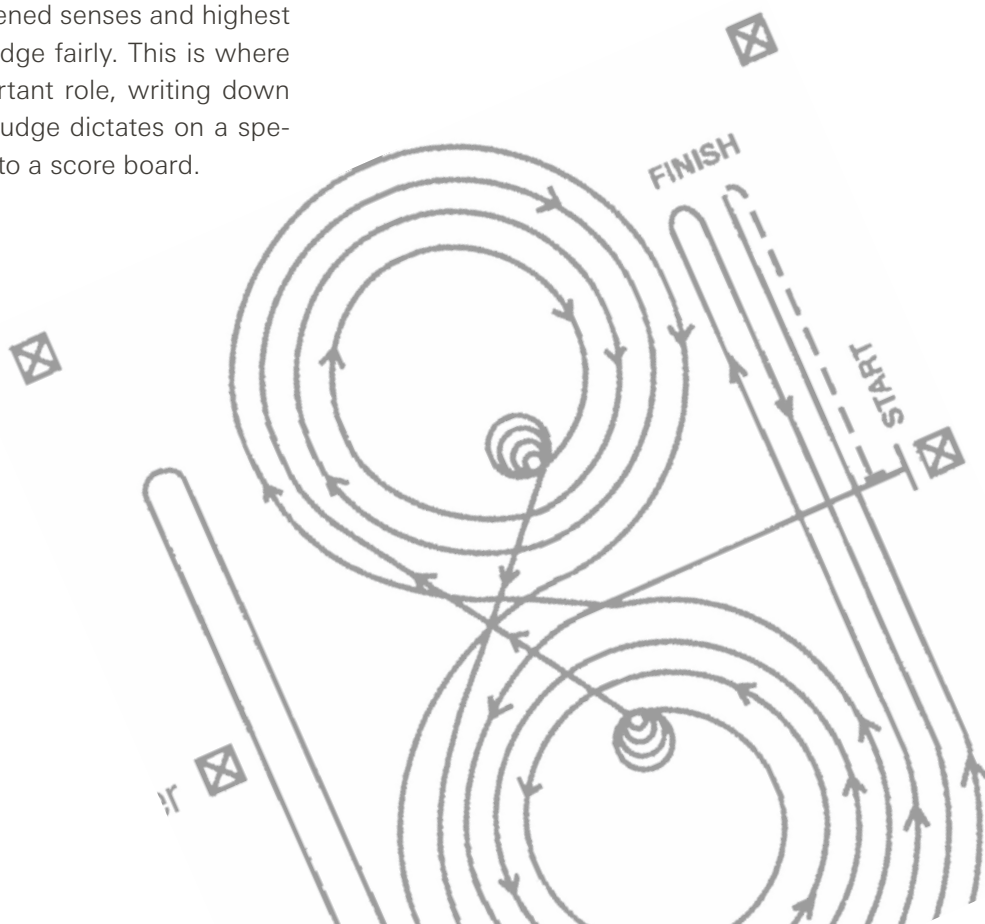
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In case of doubt a score can be held back at the end of a run (Hold Score). As every run is recorded by an official camera team, the judges are allowed to review the run to complete or correct their decision and thereafter announce the final score.

ABOUT THE JUDGES

Reining competitions are solely scored by judges who are educated by the NRHA (National Reining Horse Association) or the FEI (Fédération Equestre Internationale). They run through an educational program with a final examination and certification, which has to be repeated and passed every two years to continue the status of a certified judge.

Depending on the event there are one to three, in high class events five judges scoring. With five scoring judges, the highest and the lowest score are scratched and the remaining three scores are added for the final score.





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